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SUBJECT: NIGERIAN COUP --PERSONNEL CHANGES

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1. THE FOLLOWING ARE CORRECTED SPELLINGS OF NEW OFFICIALS FMG:

2. NEW MILITARY STATE GOVERNORS (PARAGRAPH 3 REFTTEL):

LT. COL. MUHAMED BUHARI --NORTHEAST

COLONEL GEORGE INNIH -- MIDWEST

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LT.COL. SANI BELLO --KANO

CAPTAIN LAWAL --LAGOS

LT.COL. PAUL OMU --SOUTHEAST

COLONEL IBRAHIM TAIWO --KWARA

CAPTAIN AKIN ADUWO --WEST

COLONEL ANTHONY OCHEFU --EAST CENTRAL

LT. COL.ABDULLAHI MOHAMMED--BENUE -PLATEAU

LT.COL. UMARU MOHAMMED --NORTHWEST

LT.COL. ZAMANI LEKWOT --RIVERS

LT.COL. USMAN JIBRIN --NORTH CENTRAL

3. SUPREME MILITARY COUNCIL WILL COMPRISE THE FOLLOWING:
(PARAGRAPH4 REFTTEL):

S THE HEAD OF STATE AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF
THE ARMED FORCES

BRIGADIER OLUSEGUN OBASANJO--CHIEF OF STAFF

BRIGADIER T.Y. DANJUMA--CHIEF OF ARMY STAFF

COMMODORE ADELANWA--CHIEF OF NAVAL STAFF

COL. JOHN YISA DOKO -- CHIEF OF AIR STAFF

MR. M.D. YUSUFU-- INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE

BRIG. JULIUS ALANT AKINRINADE--8ST DIVISION COMMANDER

BRIG. MARTIN ADAMU--2ND DIVISION COMMANDER

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BRIG. EMMANUEL ABISOYE--3RD DIVISION COMMANDER

BRIG. JOHN OBADA -- LAGOS GARRISON COMMANDER

COL. JOSEPH GARBA--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

LT. COL. SHEHU YAR ADUWA--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

BRIG. JAMES OLULEYE--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

BRIG. ILIYA BISALLA --NO SPECIFIC DUTIES, BUT IS
COMMANDER NIGERIAN DEFENCE ACADEMY

COL. IBRAHIM BABANGIDA--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

LT.COL. MUKTAR MUHAMED--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

COL. DAN SULEMAN--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

CAPTAIN OLUFEMI OLUMIDE--NIGERIAN NAVY

CAPTAIN H. HUSAINI ABDULLAHI--NIGERIAN NAVY

MR. ADAMU SULEMAN --COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

LT. COL. ALFRED ADULOJU--NO SPECIFIC DUTIES ANNOUNCED.

LT. COMMANDER GODWIN KANU-- NIGERIAN NAVY

4. CORRECT SPELLING OF DEPUTY INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE
AND MEMBER OF SUPREME MILITARY COUNCIL WHO WAS RETIRED
(PARAGRAPH 1 REFTTEL): T.A. FAGBOLA
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